



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 518

LCO No. 1252

Referred to Committee on Government Administration and Elections

Introduced by:
SEN. MCLACHLAN, 24th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING UNSPENT PRIMARY GRANT FUNDS UNDER THE CITIZENS' ELECTION PROGRAM.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to require candidates who
- 2 receive a primary grant under the Citizens' Election Program and who
- 3 win their primary to report any unspent primary grant funds to the
- 4 State Elections Enforcement Commission within three days of such
- 5 primary. Such candidate's general election grant shall be reduced by
- 6 an amount equal to the amount of such unspent funds.

Statement of Purpose:

To reduce the amount of general election grants to candidates with cash on hand after a primary.